



State of California – The Resources Agency
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
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PROJECT TITLE: Automated Pay Machines at Point Mugu State Park (Mugu Beach, La Jolla Canyon, Thornhill Broome Campground, Sycamore Canyon Campground, Sycamore Canyon Day Use, Sycamore Cove Kiosk, Sycamore Cove Ranger Office)

LOCATION: Point Mugu State Park

COUNTY: Los Angeles

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:

This project will install seven (7) automated pay machines (APMs) in existing parking lots. Five of these will be solar units and two will replace the existing units; therefore, no additional trenching will be required for utilities. Installation will be as follows:

- Mugu Beach – Replace existing machine with solar unit and increase concrete pad area as per accessibility guidelines.
- La Jolla Canyon – Install new solar unit and interpretive sign panel, and create a concrete pad area as per accessibility guidelines.
- Thornhill Broome Campground - Install new solar unit, and extend walkway to APM and interpretive panel.
- Sycamore Canyon Campground - Replace existing APM, hard wired into existing utilities.
- Sycamore Canyon Day Use – Install new solar unit, and create concrete pad area as per accessibility guidelines.
- Sycamore Cove Kiosk - Replace existing APM, hard wired into existing utilities.
- Sycamore Cove Ranger Office – Install new solar unit, create concrete pad area as per accessibility guidelines.

Each APM unit will require a 3'x3' footprint, about 18-24 inches in depth. Bollards will be placed at each corner of the APM that can be approached by traffic. Bollards should be a minimum of 36" above grade, set into concrete with anchoring bars at least 24" in depth, or anchored to an existing concrete slab.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Angeles

EXEMPT STATUS:

- ☐ Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
- ☐ Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
- ☐ Statutory Exemption (Section)
- ☒ Categorical Exemption

Class: 11 Section(s): 15311

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: No potential for significant impact to the environment is anticipated in compliance with CEQA §15300.2. If the project is implemented as indicated within the project description including comments provided by CDPR specialists, then it is exempt under CEQA §15311 – Accessory Structures. The action falls under the Departmental List of Exempt activities according to CEQA §15300.4 as:

- "Construction or installation of additional public use facilities" and "Installation of fee collection devices."
(Class 11, Section 15311)

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